

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

STUART REGES,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

ANA MARI CAUCE et al.,

Defendant(s).

CASE NO.  
2:22-cv-00964-JHC

MINUTE ORDER SETTING  
TRIAL DATE AND RELATED  
DATES

**JURY TRIAL DATE**

**April 15, 2024  
at 01:30 pm**

Length of Trial

3-4 days

Deadline for joining additional parties

Deadline for amended pleadings

Disclosure of expert testimony under  
FRCP 26(a)(2)

All motions related to discovery must be filed by  
(see LCR 7(d))

Discovery completed by

November 17, 2023

All dispositive motions and motions challenging  
expert witness testimony must be filed by  
(see LCR 7(d))

December 18, 2023

Settlement conference held no later than  
(*See* LCR 39.1(b)(5) if parties are  
interested in pro bono mediation) February 15, 2024

All motions in limine must be filed by  
All motions in limine shall be filed as  
one motion. March 4, 2024

Agreed pretrial order due March 25, 2024

Deposition Designations must be submitted to  
the court (not filed on CM/ECF) by:  
(*see* LCR 32(e)) March 27, 2024

Pretrial conference to be held at 01:30 pm on April 1, 2024

Trial briefs, proposed voir dire, jury  
instructions by April 8, 2024

Motions raised in trial briefs  
will not be considered.

These dates are set at the direction of the court after reviewing the joint status  
report and discovery plan submitted by the parties. All other dates are specified in the  
Local Civil Rules. If any of the dates identified in this Order or the Local Civil Rules  
fall on a weekend or federal holiday, the act or event shall be performed on the next  
business day. These are firm dates that can be changed only by order of the court, not by  
agreement of counsel or parties. The court will alter these dates only upon good cause  
shown: failure to complete discovery within the time allowed is not recognized as good  
cause.

As required by LCR 37(a), all discovery matters are to be resolved by agreement if  
possible. In addition, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16, the Court "direct[s]  
that before moving for an order relating to discovery, the movant must request a  
conference with the court" by notifying Ashleigh Drecktrah at

Ashleigh\_Drecktrah@wawd.uscourts.gov. See Fed.R.Civ.P.16(b)(3)(B)(v).

Counsel are directed to cooperate in preparing the final pretrial order in the format required by LCR 16.1, except as ordered below.

The original and one copy of the trial exhibits are to be delivered to the courtroom deputy by close of business the Thursday before trial. Each exhibit shall be clearly marked. Plaintiff's exhibits shall be numbered consecutively beginning with 1; defendant's exhibits shall be numbered consecutively beginning with 500. Duplicate documents shall not be listed twice: once a party has identified an exhibit in the pretrial order, any party may use it. Each set of exhibits shall be submitted in a three-ring binder with appropriately numbered tabs.

Counsel must be prepared to begin trial on the date scheduled, but it should be understood that the trial may have to await the completion of other cases.

Should this case settle, counsel shall notify Ashleigh Drecktrah at Ashleigh\_Drecktrah@wawd.uscourts.gov as soon as possible. An attorney who fails to give the Deputy Clerk prompt notice of settlement may be subject to such discipline as the court deems appropriate.

A copy of this Minute Order shall be mailed to all counsel of record.

DATED: October 17, 2023

s/ Ashleigh Drecktrah  
Ashleigh Drecktrah, Deputy Clerk to  
Hon. John H. Chun, Judge  
(206) 370-8520